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APPLICATION ELEMENTS

- 1 ☒ Fee Calculation (Box 13) and Authorization (Triplicate copies of this form are enclosed)
 2 ☒ Specification and Claims (17) Total Pages
 3 ☒ Informal Drawings (2) Total Sheets
 4 ☒ Unexecuted Declaration
 5 ☐ Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission (if applicable, all necessary)
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ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

- 6 ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449
 7 ☐ Copies of IDS citations
 8 ☐ Preliminary Amendment
 9 ☒ Two (2) Return Receipt Postcards
 10 ☐ Certified Copy of Priority Document
 11 ☒ The benefit under 35 U.S.C. § 119 is claimed of the filing of: European Application No. 01302000.3 filed March 5, 2001, Great Britain Application No. 0112473.4 filed May 23, 2001, Great Britain Application No. 0112757.0 filed May 25, 2001, and Great Britain Application No. 0122150.6 filed September 13, 2001
 12 ☐ Other:
 13 ☒ The FILING FEE (including any claims introduced or cancelled by Preliminary Amendment) is calculated below:

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